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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6180**  
**BILL NUMBER:** SB 392

**NOTE PREPARED:** Nov 17, 2009  
**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** USDOT Number for Certain Intrastate Carriers.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Sen. Steele  
**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**    **GENERAL**  
                          **X DEDICATED**  
                          **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill provides that a pickup truck that operates as an intrastate carrier to haul passengers or property for hire is exempt from the requirement to display a United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) number or other identification required by the Department of State Revenue (DOR).

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2010.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:** Exempting pickup trucks that operate as an intrastate carrier to haul passengers or property for hire from the requirement to display a United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) number or other identification required by the DOR will result in a minor reduction in state revenue, estimated at \$220 per year. Over the last three years, the DOR has averaged 22 annual registrations. The fund affected is the Motor Carrier Regulation Fund.

**Background Information:** The DOR issues USDOT numbers for private and for-hire companies' vehicles with a weight of 10,001 pounds and over. If the truck is under 10,000 pounds and for hire, the DOR issues an ID number rather than a USDOT number. There is no cost for the USDOT number. However, there is an annual \$10-per-vehicle fee for a for-hire carrier and a requirement of an insurance filing in the amount of \$750,000, \$1 M and \$5 M for bodily injury and property damage, depending upon the cargo.

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** DOR.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

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